

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

September 12, 2008

Anna Burger, Treasurer
Service Employees International Union Committee
on Political Education (SEIU COPE)
1800 Massachusetts Ave NW
Washington, DC 20036

Response Due Date: October 14, 2008

Identification Number:

C00004036

Reference:

July Monthly Report (6/1/08-6/30/08)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 2 items:

- 1. Schedule E supporting Line 24 of your report discloses an independent expenditure to The New Media Firm, Inc. totaling \$10,284.55 in support of Bill Foster. In addition, you state in memo text "additional expense for expenditure reported on 3/40/08." However, your report does not appear to disclose an independent expenditure to the New Media Firm, Inc. on 3/10/08. Please amend the appropriate report(s) to disclose any unreported disbursement(s) and/or provide clarifying information regarding this issue.
- 2. The independent expenditure schedule (Schedule E) should disclose the following information: the name and mailing address of the payee, the purpose of the expenditure, the date of payment, the amount of payment, the name and office sought, state and district (if applicable) of the federal candidate, the calendar year-to-date, per election, for office sought total, the election designation, an indication of whether the candidate was supported or opposed and the signature of the treasurer. Please amend Schedule E by providing the election designation. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3)(vii)

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the